

Journal

Office of Legislative Counsel

Friday - 29 February 1952

- - - - -

1. Mr. Boyd Crawford, Staff Administrator of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, called Legislative Counsel to request that the DCI appear before the Committee in Executive Session on 4 March in accordance with the request of Mutual Security Director, Harriman, who had previously discussed the matter with the DCI. Subject for discussion is the expenditure of [] of Mutual Security funds under the Kersten amendment for the resettlement of refugees. Legislative Counsel coordinated this request with Mr. Wisner, Mr. Houston and Col. Hansen. In accordance with instructions from the DCI, transmitted through [] of his staff, Legislative Counsel informed the Committee that it was unfortunately necessary for the DCI to keep previously arranged commitments out of town on Tuesday and that he could not be present; that Mr. Harriman could proceed alone on the subject or postpone the matter until a later date when the DCI would be available. STATINTL

2. Legislative Counsel attended a meeting at NSRB on the Federal dispersal program.

3. Mr. Borden, Executive Director of the staff of the Joint Congressional Committee on Atomic Energy, informed Legislative Counsel that they were transmitting a letter to the Agency for action. He ~~w~~ also inquired as to whether members of the General ^{ad} Supervisory Committee of the AEC had access to the raw CIA material which went into the making of our semi-annual estimate on Soviet atomic capabilities.

4. NOTE: Ref. Item 1 of this date. Legislative Counsel was subsequently informed that the DCI has designated D/DCI to appear at the House Foreign Affairs Committee.